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BY ECF

Honorable Robert W. Lehrburger United States Magistrate Judge United States District Court 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

Re: Gwendolyn Burns Chambers v. Comm. of Social Security 19 Civ. 2145 (RWL)

Dear Judge Lehrburger:

Pursuant to the scheduling order in the above-referenced Social Security case, the government's brief was due March 20, 2020. We write respectfully to request, with the gracious consent of plaintiff's counsel, that the remaining briefing schedule in this case be adjourned *nunc pro tunc* as follows:

Government's brief by April 24, 2020 Plaintiff's reply, if any, by May 15, 2020.

The reason for this request is the difficulty in managing a docket of nearly 100 cases during a pandemic that has required setting up to telework. The government has not previously requested an extension in this case. We appreciate the Court's consideration of this request.

Respectfully,

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SO ORDERED:

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HON. ROBERT W. LEHRBURGER UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE